H. R. 2979

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 17, 2005

Mr. Rehberg introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. CROW TRIBAL TRUST FUND. 4 Section 6(d) of the Crow Boundary Settlement Act of 1994 (25 U.S.C. 1776d(d)), is amended— 5 6 (1) in the subsection heading, by inserting "and Capital Gains" after "Interest"; 7 (2) in paragraph (1), by striking "Only" and 8 inserting "Except as provided in paragraph (4), 9

only"; and

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(3) by adding at the end the following:

"(4) DISTRIBUTION OF CAPITAL GAINS.—Not-withstanding subsection (f), capital gains and any other noninterest income received on funds in the Crow Tribal Trust Fund shall be available for distribution by the Secretary to the Crow Tribe to the extent that the balance in the Crow Tribal Trust Fund (including capital gains) exceeds 85,000,000, for the same uses and subject to the same restrictions in paragraphs (1) and (3) as are applicable to distributions of interest."

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